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Sir:

In response to the Office Action, of which Applicant was notified by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office ("PTO") on May 5, 2008, Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner reconsider the above-captioned patent application in view of the following:

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